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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant respectfully directs the Examiner's attention to the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the documents are not enclosed pursuant to 1276 O.G. 55 (August 5, 2003).

U.S. Patent No. 5,321,241  
U.S. Patent No. 6,503,147  
U.S. Published Application No. 2001/0036866  
U.S. Published Application No. 2002/0093136  
U.S. Published Application No. 2003/0064805  
U.S. Published Application No. 2003/0069074  
U.S. Published Application No. 2003/0114217  
U.S. Published Application No. 2003/0162589

These documents were cited during prosecution of a International patent application corresponding to the above U.S. application. A copy of the International Search Report is enclosed.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /R.Z./

Inasmuch as the subject application has not yet received a first Office Action, it is believed that this Information Disclosure Statement is timely. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). Accordingly, the Examiner is urged to study this information in its entirety and to form an independent determination of the materiality of the information to the claimed invention. Additionally, the Examiner is requested to indicate that this information has been considered by initialing the appropriate portion of Form PTO-1449.

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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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